# News Release

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# City of Las Vegas April 2006 Activities

(All activities are subject to change. List is not all-inclusive. Call centers near you for complete list of classes and activities.)

# **FAMILY ACTIVITIES**

### Free Health Fair (all ages)

Saturday, April 1, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

East Las Vegas Community/Senior Center, 250 North Eastern Avenue, (702) 229-1515. Free vision screenings, HIV testing, mammogram appointments, parenting classes, Medicare counseling, senior issues counseling, injury prevention and safety information and information on breast cancer, cervical cancer, Nevada Checkup and much more. Refreshments and youth activities will be available. Sponsored by Clark County Health District, City of Las Vegas, and Rafael Rivera Community Outreach partnership.

## Free Sunday Family Matinee (all ages)

Sunday, April 2, at noon

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 North Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100. Bring the family for a PG-rated movie. Refreshments will be available for sale at nominal cost. Register by March 25. Minimum registration required or movie will be canceled.

# Mirabelli 6th Annual Bunny Wishes (all ages)

By April 8.

Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Avenue, (702) 229-6359.

Purchase requested items from the "Egg Tree" wish list to donate to special people at the Shade Tree Women's and Children's Shelter.

#### Old-fashioned Family Egg Dye and Hunt (all ages)

Saturday, April 8, 6 to 7:30 p.m.

\$15 per family

Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482.

Bring the family and a dozen hard-boiled eggs to dye, and learn how to blow and decorate eggs. Everyone will enjoy an egg hunt in the park and refreshments.

#### Magic Mountain Getaway (all ages)

Saturday and Sunday, April 8-9, 4 a.m. to 4 a.m.

Fee: \$75 per person. Children 12 years and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Sponsored by Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482, and Molasky Community School, 7801 West Gilmore, (702) 229-5345. Enjoy a day at Magic Mountain, one of California's best theme parks.

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#### Free Vision Forum (all ages)

Wednesday, April 12, 9 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

Las Vegas Senior Center, 451 East Bonanza Road, (702) 229-6454.

Learn the latest on all types of vision impairment, view exhibits by local state and national equipment providers and service organizations, take advantage of free testing in Lions Club Mobile Unit, tandem bike demonstrations, computer training, raffle drawing and more. Carl Augusto of the American Foundation for the Blind will provide the keynote address. Break-out session topics will include: Computer Overview, Computer Lab, Community Resources, Communication, Daily Living & Travel Skills, Daily Living & Travel Skills-Part 2, Non-traditional Employment, ADA Rights and Responsibilities, Blind Talk About Blindness, Families Talk About Blindness, Parents of Blind Children, Community Services, Blind Adults & Sighted Children, Water Aerobics, Canoeing & Kayaking. Pre-registration by March 31 is required to assure a reservation for free lunch and a free raffle ticket, as well as for participation in water aerobics, kayaking or canoeing. The event is sponsored by the city of Las Vegas Department of Leisure Services, Blindconnect, the Blind Center of Nevada, Bureau of Services to the Blind and Visually Impaired, and Nevada Council of the Blind.

## Free Spoketacular Bikefest (all ages)

Saturday, April 22, 10 a.m. to noon

Cadwallader Community School, 7775 Elkhorn Road, (702) 229-1633.

Bring bicycles and helmets to enjoy bike decorating, maintenance training, obstacle course, prizes and more behind Cadwallader Middle School. Co-sponsored by Lied and Cadwallader Community Schools and Cimarron Rose Community Center. Call 229-1607 for information.

#### Free Keep America Beautiful Month Project (all ages)

Saturday, April 22, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Stupak Community Center, 300 West Boston Avenue, (702) 229-2488

Join the community to beautify Meadow's Village.

#### Mirabelli Spring Craft Show (all ages)

Saturday, April 29, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Free Admission for buyers. \$15 table fee plus \$5 raffle prize for sellers; \$5 more for electricity. Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Avenue, (702) 229-6359.

Interested sellers may reserve tables beginning Feb. 11. All items must be handmade and priced at no more than \$35.